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KENT COUNTY SHERIFF DEPARTMENT



Date: June 27, 2016

Complaint Number: 16-130996

Type of Incident: Suicidal Subject

Location: 1600 Block of 76th Street SW, Byron Township

Supervisor Approval: Undersheriff Michelle LaJoye-Young

At 1940 hours on Sunday, 6/26/16, deputies responded to the 1600 block of 76th Street SW in Byron Township on a male subject threatening suicide. The subject left prior to deputies arriving and we were unable to locate him.

At 2241 hours, deputies were called back to the residence for the same male subject threatening suicide. As deputies approached the scene, the subject confronted the deputies with a handgun. Subject was shot and injured.

The shooting is still in the early stages of investigation and no additional details are being released at this time. The subject is being treated for his injuries and remains stable in the hospital.

The deputies involved are currently on leave pending investigation. Wyoming Police Department is investigating. When appropriate, additional media releases will be made by the Kent County Sheriff Department.